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TO:

Minerals File

FROM:

Anthony Gallegos, Senior Reclamation Specialist All

RE:

Site Inspection, Lexco, Inc., ITM Mine, S/047/035, Uintah County, Utah

Date of Inspection:

May 15, 2001

Time of Inspection:

1705 - 1735

Conditions:

Mostly cloudy

Participants:

Will Stokes, SITLA; Tony Gallegos, DOGM

Purpose of Inspection: To examine the site while in the area

There was no one else present at the site at the time of this inspection. Visible features at this site include a concrete shaft collar that has been filled in over the shaft, a concrete pad, a compressor tank, two 55-gallon drums, a second smaller concrete pad, a section of plywood wall, and an elevated fuel tank.

The two 55-gallon drums were both empty and labeled "XTRA – Wet Concentrate." This is a wetting agent for gilsonite produced by IBEX Chemicals, Inc. There were two more drums on the ground down below the main pad level. There is another 55-gallon drum mounted on a stand, which is lying down on the ground.

A short distance from the main shaft is a head frame located on the escapeway shaft with a small shack nearby. The escapeway shaft is also capped with concrete.

Photographs were taken to document the remaining features at the site and the site conditions. The site appears to be in the cleanup and closure stage.

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cc:

Jim Lekas, Lexco, Inc.

Will Stokes, SITLA

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